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RESAMPLING A SIGNAL ASSOCIATED THEREWITH
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Sir:

COMMENT ON REASON FOR ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR §1.104(E)

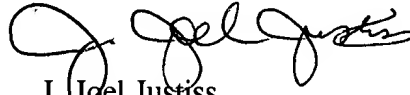
The Applicants submit these comments in response to the Examiner's stated reasons for allowance included in the Notice of Allowance mailed June 28, 2005. The Applicants respectfully disagree with the Examiner's statement of allowance.

Claims 15-28, including independent Claims 15 and 22, of the present application have been allowed. Claim 15 is directed to a bit pump and Claim 22 is directed to a transceiver. The Examiner's statement of allowance, however, does not address independent Claim 15 but collectively addresses the allowance of independent Claims 15 and 22 by restating independent Claim 22. The Applicants, therefore, deny acquiescence to the statement and further deny

being bound by any negative inferences that may flow therefrom in any future proceedings regarding this application or any patents indirectly or directly issuing therefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

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